The Lovers. Two lovers in Life's morning stood
And watched the robins wait
Among the fragrant apple boughs,
Each for his calling mate.
He kissed her shyly, then they romped
And prattled thro the gate;
For one was just eleven years For one was just eleven years
And one was only eight.

Two lovers in Life's golden noon Beneath the apple tree Heard once again the robins call. "I love you," whispered he. "The birds are singing Love's sweet song Dear heart, for you and me.'
And one of them was twenty-six
And one was twenty-three.

Two lovers in Life's afterglow
Watched each swift-changing hue.
Thro' all the years Love's mating call
Had echoed sweet and true.
"I love you, dear," he murmered low.
"And I," she answered, "you."
Tho' one of them was sixty-five "And I." she answered, "you."
Tho one of them was sixty-five
And one was sixty-two.
Maurice Smiley, in September Delineator.

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Launching the Ship.

The preparations for launching the battleship Louisiana in the Newport News shippards are almost complete. The christening stand and the sponsor's booth, where Miss Juanita Lallande, of New Orleans, will be stationed to break the proverbial bottle of champagne, have already been erected.

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The tide will be high at about 11 o'clock on Saturday, and the launching ceremonies are expected to take place about noon. Miss Lallande will be accompanied to Newport News by Governor Blanchard and a party of prominent Louislana people. A delegation from the navy yard at Washington, D. C., and one from, the Norfolk navy yard will also be present. Near the Louisiana is the battleship

Near the Louisiana is the battleship Virginia, in which all the women of the Old Dominion feel an especial interest. The armored plates are now being put around this battleship's turrets, which show a difference in construction by slanting from the front on top, instead of being flat, in order to give greater between the shells.

of being flat, in order to greater resistance to shells.

The presentation of the silver service to the Virginia and of a special gift in silver to her from the Colonial Dames of the State will be the occasion of another brilliant ceremony in the history of this namesake of the "Mother of States."

Travelers Returned. Travelers Returned.

Mr. John T. Anderson and Mr. O. H. Berry, who, with other friends, have been making a delightful European tour, are in Richmond again, where many beautiful dinners and charming little supper parties are being given in honor or the travelers'

return.

The mere presence of Mr. Anderson has turned attention to Horse Show matters. Society draws a long breath and feels now quite sure that the wonderful successes of former years will be

Stay-at-Home Club. The Stay-at-Home Whist Club met Monday evening with Admiral and Mrs. Webster, in their apartments at The

Webster, in Chesterfield.

Chesterfield.
Highest scores were made by Mrs.
Bland Spottswood Snith, playing with
Mr. S. W. Travers.
The next meeting of the club will be
with Mrs. Travers, on West Franklin
Street. Admiral Webster, the club president, who has been suffering from a
sprained ankle, is now, as his friends
will be graiffed to hear, much better.

Personal Mention.

Miss Helen Cameron is visiting Mrs. C. E. Buck, at the latter's lovely home in Albemarie county.

Mrs. Fred. Pleasants is spending some time with her father, Mr. Barksdale, in Halifax county.

Miss Effic Branch is with her au Mrs. Fred. Scott, at Hot Springs, Va.

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Mr. Henry C. Stuart has bought the beautiful home inherited by Aliss Annie and Miss Mary Elizabeth Moore from their uncle. Captain Allison, on West Franklin. With his beautiful wife, Mr. Stuart wil he warmly welcomed as a welcomed addition to Richmond society.

Miss Ethel Pice, who has been ill with typhold fever in Louisville, Ky., where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Hite, is now convalescent and it is homed will soon he able to come back to Richmond with her mother, Mrs. James B. Pace.

Mr. Edward Palmer has returned from a visit to Blue Ridge Springs, where his family are summering.

Mrs. Calvin Whiteley and Miss Virginia Whiteley are back from New York and have as their charming guest, Mrs. Jones, of New York.

Miss Annie Rose Walker, of No. 600 West Franklin Street, has been very ill for some time past with nervous prostra-tion at Dr. Dercum's "Rest Cure," in Philadelphia.

Miss Bertha Atkinson is the guest of Mr. P. H. Mayo, in Clarke county.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Chalkley are visit-ing Mrs. M. P. Andrews, in Hampton, Va.

Dr. Benjamin H. Gray, of New York, who has been spending a part of his va-cation at "Northfield," in Cumberland dounty, is now the guest of Mrs. R. T. Hunter, at No. 215 East Franklin Street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Costenbader, of Slatington, Pa., and Dr F L. Costenbader, of the University of Medicine of Richmone, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Costenbader, in South Norfolk.

Miss Nettle Johnson and Miss Pannic Nuckols, who have been visiting Mrs. T. W. Brittingham, in Hampton, have returned to Richmond.

Miss Lillian Benwell, of Morrison, Va., is entertaining a house party of young friends from different parts of the Fiate.

Richmond visitors to friends a New-port News include Miss Virginia F Leath and Miss Annie Sprinkie. Miss irene Owen, of Newport News, is spend-ing a few days in Richmond before go-ing to Atlantic City.

Mr. William B. Pizzini and Mr. Philip. Schloss are enjoying a fishing trip to-gether.

Mr. Spenter Carter is a member of Mr.

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POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fall to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Professor Charles Ellot Norton.

No. 270.

The Married Lover.,

BY PATMORE.

The portrait and biographical sketch of Patmore, along with other selections, have already appeared in this series.

7 HY, having won her, do I woo? Because her spirit's vestal grace Provokes me always to pursue, But, spirit-like, eludes embrace;

Because her womanhood is such That, as on court-days subjects kiss The Queen's hand, yet so near a touch Affirms no mean familiarness, Nay, rather marks more fair the height Which can with safety so neglect

To dread, as lower ladies might, That grace could meet with disrespect, Thus she with happy favor feeds Allegiance from a love so high That thence no false onceit proceeds
Of difference bridged, or state put by;

Because, although in act and word As lowly as a wife can be, Her manners, when they call me lord, Remind me 'tis by courtesy; Not with her least consent of will,

But by the noble style that still Imputes an unattain'd desert: Because her gay and lofty brows, When all is won which hope can ask, Reflect a light of hopeless snows That bright in virgin ether bask;

Which would my proud affection hurt, .

Because, though free of the outer court I am, this Temple keeps its shrine Sacred to Heaven; because, in short, She's not and never can be mine.

Feasts satiate; stars distress with height; Friendship means well, but misses reach, And wearies in its best delight Vex'd with the vanities of speech;

Too long regarded, roses even Afflict the mind with fond unrest: And to converse direct with Heaven Is oft a labor in the breast; Whate'er the up-looking soul admires,

Whate'er the senses' banquet be, Fatigues at last with vain desires. Or sickens by satiety; But truly my delight was more In her to whom I'm for aye Yesterday than the day before,

loventy Palmere

And more to-day than yesterday

rarty in Clarke county.

Miss Julia Joynes is the guest of Miss Julia Joynes is the guest of Miss Isabel Carter, at the Mayo home, in Clarke county.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Cabell are en-icying the height of the season at the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs. From the White Mr. and Mrs. Cabell will go to visit the Louisiana Purchase Exposition

Miss Bell Perkins, who went to the Greenbrier, White Bulphur Springs from the University of Virginia, will visit for some weeks in one of the counties of Miss Frances Robinson, of this city,

n St. Louis.

and Mrs. Thomas N. Carter's house pararty in Clarke county.

Mrs. Thomas W. Brander is now at the

Col. Jo. Lane Stern and Mr. William

who has been the guest of Miss Callie Humphries in Hampton, will leave this week for Elizabeth City, N. C.

Mrs. Irvin Watkins is back after spending several weeks very pleasantly at Mount Elliott Springs, near Staunton,

Mrs. Albert, who has been summering at Jefferson Park Hotel, will chaperone a party to St. Louis before she comes back to Richmond.

Mrs. William McCarthy and Miss Agnes McCarthy are at Cuckoo, Louisa county, for late August and September.

Mrs. Heningham Spliman is with her daughter, Mrs. Otto Theodore Hess, in New York. Miss Bessie Smith, who has been quite ill at Interment Hetel, Covington, is now much better.

BARTON HEIGHTS.

Miss Roberta Dickens, of North Carolina, is he wuest of Mrs. J. D. Davenport; Miss Ads. Sect has left for Carteraville, Miss Belle Smith, of Gordonsville, is the uset of Miss Mary Thomas.

Mrs. J. J. Wilson and children, who have een visiting in Bon Air, have returned home. Mr. J. S. Haupt, has returned to his home roym Atlans.

Miss Maria Lee, has returned to her home, in Pittsburg. Taylor, of Little Rock, is visiting her niece, Mrs. Hennie Walton Smithers. Mrs. J. D. Schofield and children, of Washington, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kidwell. Mrs. Carrie Krafft and daughter, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mrs. John E. Harding, have returned to their home from Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Wol. H. H. Kidwell have returned to their home from Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Wol. H. H. Kidwell have returned to their home from Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Montague Pileher and faughter, of West Point, are the guests of Mrs. B. Tolson.

of West Point, are the guests of each Tologon,
Tologon,
W. S. Dabney, of Texas, is stopping his uncle, Mr. J. R. Bowles, as Ida Lee has left to visit friends in is Ida Lee has ent. of Charles City, is the of Mrs. A. M. Moore's. is Rosa Carter, over the company, is the 10 Mrs. Charles Wilkins, 11 Lee Ragiand and son, of Washingare the guests of his brother, Mr. W. L.

ion, are the guests of the solutions of the Ragiand,
Mr. Edgar Rose has left for Orange.
Mr. Bary Jones, who has been visiting in Lynchburg, has returned home.
A moonlight carnival will be held on the lawn of L. V. Webster. 215 North avenue.
Barton Heights, Va. on Friday of this week, from 6 to 11 P. M. The West End Angels will be one of the attractions.

FULTON NEWS

Mrs. Ruth Green and her little son, Wilson, of Park View, Portsmouth, Va., are listing the family of the Rev. John W.

on, of Park View, Portsmouth, at the family of the Rev. John W. augherty, Miss Martha McEwen returned to her home. Petersburg, yesierday, after a delightful ist, to the Misses Buffin, Mr. J. Richard Hicks, who has been confined this home several weeks on account of ineas, is recovering slowly. Mr. Antonio Manoley, waithman of the Oldominion Steamship Company's wharf, Rocktes, who has been ill at his home, on Fulbra street, for several weeks, is able to be ut.

ion street. Tor several weeks, is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Floyd Reams, accompanied by Miss Emma Parr, are visiting at Ocean View and other seaside reagra.

Miss Cella Bowen and Lucy Brown are visiting friends in Baltimore.

Miss Mahei Goode and her nephew, Whitfield Throckmorton, who have been visiting friends and relations in Albemarie county, for the past mogth, have returned.

The two-year-old som of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill, is extremely ill at the home of its parents. arents.

and Mrs. John Hauft and their chilwho have been visiting A. J. Shelton on
th street, left for their home, in Nor-

Can't Work on Sunday.

Just to emphasize the fact that a man can't work or do business on Sunday, Justice John yeaterday fined Kannisky, a pawniroker, an'd W. P. Woodson, a painter, for attending to business last Sunday. The flace were \$2.

Ran Through the Creek.

Wilson Dulaney, colored, gave Policeman Sneroy a good chase, and a run through the rushing waters of Shockoc Creek before he caught him. Then he resisted, and jus-tice John gave him sixty days, besides a fine of 430.

Costs Money to Break Windows. George Williams threw rocks, and broke a window. It cost him \$5 and twenty days se-curity in the Police Court yesterday.

AT THE THEATRES

The doors of the Academy were opened last night for another season, the initial offering being the melodrama, "The James Boys in Missour!" Notwithstanding the fact that the play was one to appeal to only a portion of the patrons of Managor Leath's house, thore was a large audience resent to witness the opening. The balcony and gallery were crowded to the canacity of each, while there was nuite a good sized gathering in the orchestra. Managor Leath was on hand to soe that everything went smoothly the first night, and Manager Rex was also present, having come up from his playhouse at Buckroe Beach in order to start the ball rolling at the Avademy. The house has been put in thorough order and several changes have been made. There is a new curtain, and the floors have been newly carpeted. In the lobby the decorators have been at work, and have made a great 'improvement in the appearance of the walls. Everything about the playhouse is spick and span and in readiness for the new season which has just begun.

The play presented last night, as stated, only appealed to a certain portion of the Academy's patrons, and the audience was composed very largely of that class. The melodrama was received with every evidence of enthusiasm, the spectators several times forgetting themselves in the excitement of some scene in which guns played the most important parts.

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The scenery and mechanical and trick changes have always been among the "Bevil's Auction's features, a fact fully appreciated by its management and not lost sight of in this twenty-third edition quite a number of new scenes and effects have been prepared, notably: a magnificent spectacular, panoramic effect, entitled "The Interno," divided into five parts, as follows: "The Fantastic Fog." "The Gates of Hades," "The Frozen Path of Frenzy," "The Lake of Lost Souls' and "The Realms of Mephisto," an entire new full stage scene, representing the Valley of Andoche, two new comedy and trick scenes, "The Gates of the Castle Montheus," which, in conjunction with the magnificent "Garden of the Manakins." "The Grand Tournament Scene" and "The Sphinx Scene," promise to make the twenty-third edition of "The Everlasting Devil's Auction" a memorable production. The "Devil's Auction" will be presented at the Academy to-night. be presented at the Academy to-night.

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The Academy will have for its attraction to-morrow afternoon and evening an engagement of Harry B. Smith's well known musical comedy, "The Liberty Bells," with a big cast of singers, dancers, comedians and specially artists, including such names as Lottle Staveley, Anne Stuart, Nonie Torrens, Marguerite Masi, Christine Nelison, Mablo Kipp, Bessie Williams, Bonnie Vance, Percy Leach and Williams, Bonsie Vance, Percy Leach and Leach and

pany;
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sick, has left for the country, where she hopes to be benefiled.

Miss Allee Kirsh has left for Bridge Water, Va., to spend several weeks.

Mrs. Bettie Gore is quite III.

Misses Myra and Alma Barnes and High Barner are visiting relatives in Dinwiddle county.

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Misses Bernice Brauer and Ethel Childrey have left for a siny of several weeks with Miss Jaunita Shaw.

Rev. Joel T. Tucker has returned home from B. iwo weeks sin in Buckingham county.

Mrs. Brandt and children, who have been visiting in Lynchburg, have returned. Mrs. Hodges and Master Stanly Hodges have returned home from a stay of several weeks in Hanover county, where they spent several weeks.

Mrs. E. W. Christian, son, and little daughter have returned from a stay of several weeks with relatives in Essex county. Va.

C. O. Honges in Essex county. Va.

Charlottestile, where he vigited relatives.

Miss Excile Hord is visiting friends at Ashland, Va.

Mrs. E. Brakand, of Roanoke, is visiting her son, Mr, Sam England.

COLLYTON VI.—Castoned.

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TWO BROTHERS MEET AFTER LONG YEARS

One Had Been Twice Tried for the Murder of the Other, Who Disappeared.

(By Associated Press.)
GRAND RAPIDS MICH., August 23—
Two brothers, one of whom had been tried for his life on the charge of murdering

Georgia Negroes to Chicago. (By Associated Press.)
CHATTANOOGA, TENN. August 23.—Two
car loads of negroes, gathered from various
email points in Georgies, passed through Chailanooga early to-day on their way to Chicago, where they will work in the packing
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White Sulphur, after a short stay at Warm Springs, Va.

Mrs. John A. Meanley, who has been

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FAIRMOUNT NEWS.

Mrs. Carrie Gettling has returned home, after spending two weeks with relatives in tweets played interest in-49 feet on perity to relatives at Afton, Va., and West Virginia.

Mrs. W. C. Thomas and children, Master John and Miss Louise Thomas, have returned home from a delightful visit to relatives at Afton, Va., and West Virginia.

Mrs. W. C. Thomas and children, Master John and Miss Louise Thomas, have returned home from Washington, D. C. They also wissed the morth of Birch, Street, Chestnut III., 180.

Mrs. V. C. Thomas and children left a few days age for Elierson's, Va. Stone and wife to J. O. Corley, 20 Marietts and George T. Rhodes to same, 20 Mars. The Juliant Product of Birch, Street, Chestnut III., 180.

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